

**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT**

Please delete the first and second paragraphs of the abstract and replace with the following:

"A process for recovering DCPD from a hydrocarbon feedstock comprising introducing the hydrocarbon feedstock to a first column, recovering an overhead stream from the first column comprising  $C_9$ - hydrocarbons, recovering a bottom stream from the first column comprising  $C_{10}+$  hydrocarbons, feeding the bottom stream from the first column to a second column, recovering an overhead stream from the second column comprising DCPD, and recovering a bottom stream from the second column comprising fuel oil, wherein the two columns are sized and operated at defined conditions such as pressures, temperatures, reflux rates, and reboil rates."

A replacement abstract to this effect is enclosed with this amendment.